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Column 12, line 5: Insert "layer" after --texturizing--.

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Supporting documentation includes a copy of an Amendment Under 37 CFR §1.312 filed on July 2, 2004, with the relevant replacement pages for the claims, showing that no amendments were made to Claim 160 (which corresponds to issued Claim 32).

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.312

Sir:

Applicant requests amendment to the pending claims in the above-identified patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

irradiation and ozonolysis of a polymeric material comprising a hydrocarbon block and a silicon-containing block.

- 159. (canceled)
- 160. (previously presented) A capacitor, comprising:

a lower capacitor plate comprising a conductive layer overlying a texturizing layer; the texturizing layer comprising an ordered array of nanostructures of substantially uniform size, and the texturizing layer comprising a polymeric material;

a dielectric layer overlying the lower capacitor plate; and an upper capacitor plate overlying the dielectric layer.

- 161. (canceled)
- 162. (previously presented) The capacitor of Claim 160, wherein the polymeric material comprises a hydrocarbon block and a silicon-containing block.
- 163. (previously presented) The capacitor of Claim 162, wherein the polymeric material comprises polyisoprene and poly(pentamethyldisilylstyrene).
- 164-167. (canceled)
- 168. (previously presented) The capacitor of Claim 160, wherein the texturizing layer comprises a plurality of two-dimensional structures.
- 169. (previously presented) A capacitor, comprising:

a lower capacitor plate comprising a conductive layer overlying a texturizing layer; the texturizing layer comprising a periodic network of surface structures having a substantially uniform height, and the texturizing layer comprising a polymeric material;